DARKTOWN BARBACUE

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Darktown Barbecue.

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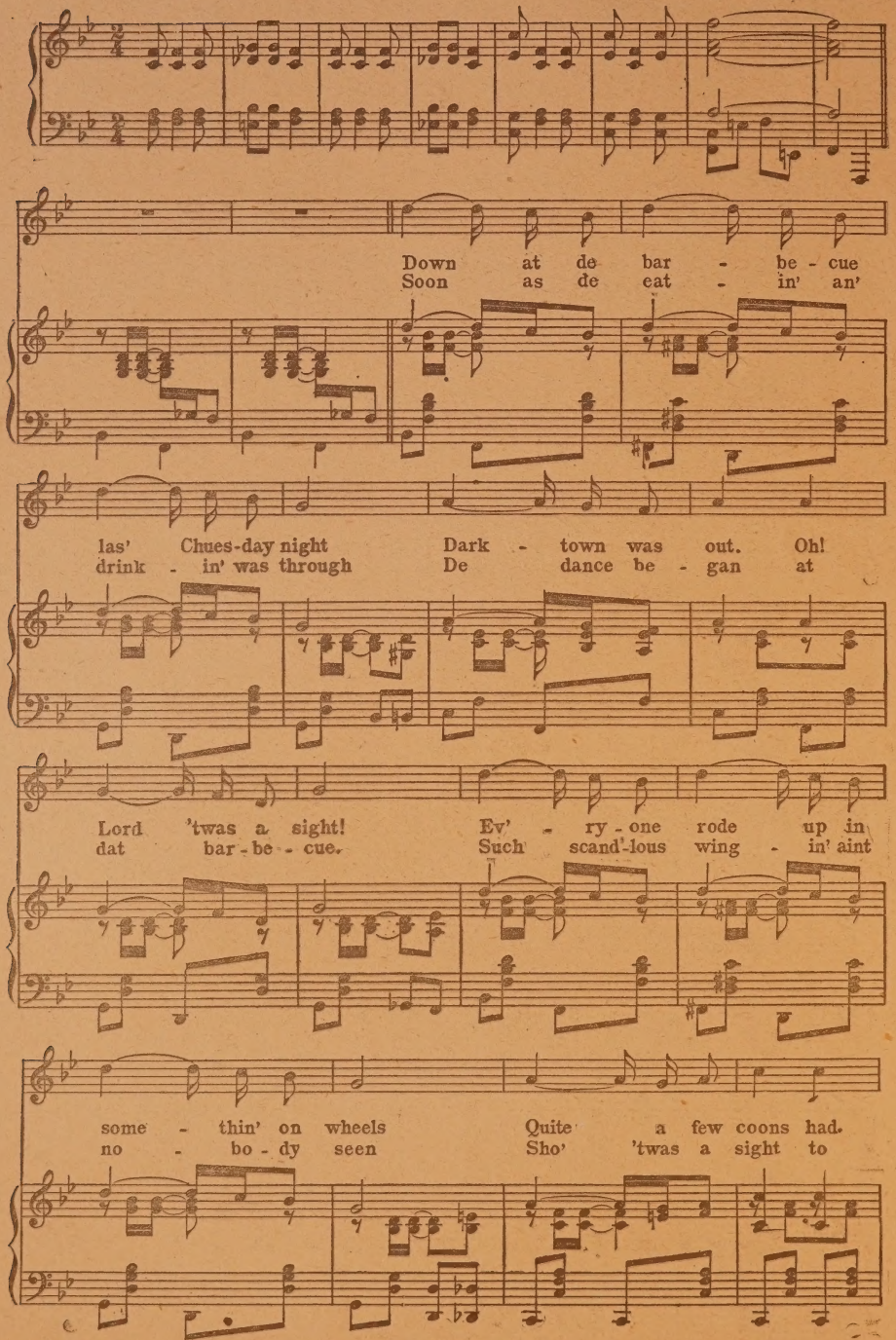
Down at de bar - be - cue
Soon as de eat - in' an'
las' Chues-day night Dark - town was out. Oh!
drink - in' was through De dance be - gan at
Lord 'twas a sight! Ev' - ry - one rode up in
dat bar - be - cue. Such scand'-lous wing - in' aint
some - thin' on wheels Quite a few coons had.
no - bo - dy seen Sho' 'twas a sight to

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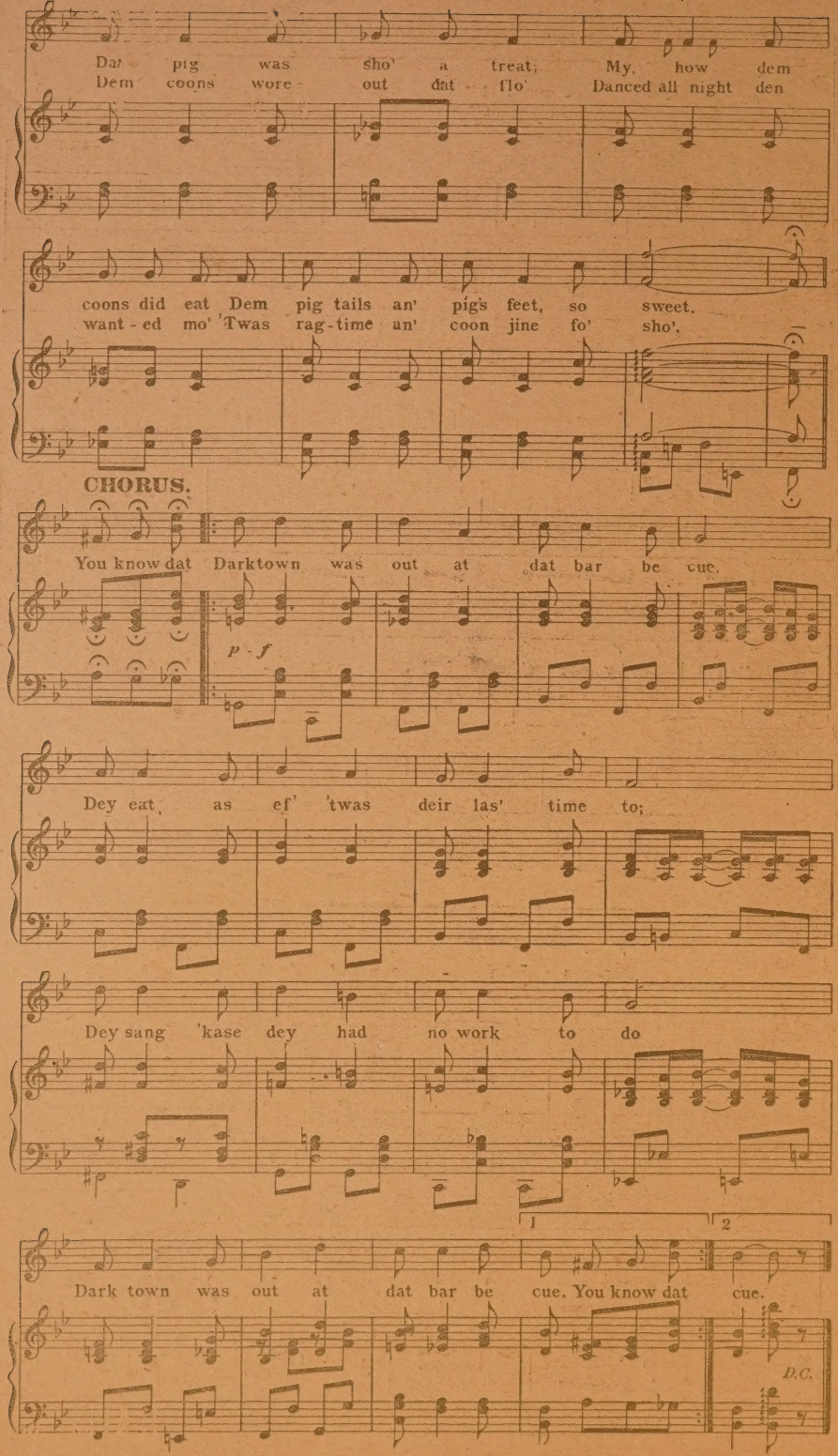
au - to - mo - biles Man - dy was
watch Til - dy Green She pranced an'
dere in huh new gin - gham dress Wid
she danced till huh face was red An'
Dan by huh side jes' pran - cin' a mess;
when she two - steeped los' dat wig off huh head.
Ole Dea - con John - son an' Aunt Sal - lie too, For -
'Cose ra - zor Mose tried to start up a fuss But
got a - bout church at dat bar - be - cue.
Bill cut him down dat end - ed de muss.


Dat pig was sho' a treat; My, how dem
Dem coons wore out dat flo' Danced all night den
coons did eat Dem pig tails an' pig's feet, so sweet.
want-ed mo' 'Twas rag-time an' coon jine fo' sho'.
CHORUS.
You know dat Darktown was out at dat bar be cue.
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Dey eat as ef' 'twas deir las' time to;
Dey sang 'kase dey had no work to do
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Dark town was out at dat bar be cue. You know dat cue.
D.C.